SUBJECT No. 241.

Water supply to the Mudgere town.

Mr. B. Rangarajiah, Mudgere Taluk.

Mr. Rangarajiah.—The town of Mudgere is situated in a high level. It is very difficult to tap sufficient supply of water even at a depth of 60 or 70 feet. As there has been an improvement in the income of the Municipality, a project to supply water to the town by means of pipes may be sanctioned.

Second Member of Council.—It is not possible to provide water facilities for the smaller Municipalties. We feel the very same difficulty in the case of the Harihar Municipality.

Dewan.—The matter will again be investigated by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

SUBJECT No. 242.

Conversion of the female dispensary at Tarikere into a maternity hospital.

Mr. T. Syed Khaja Peeran Sahib, Muslim Association, Tarikere.

Mr. T. Syed Khaja Peeran Sahib.—The present dispensary for women and children at Tarikere may be converted into a maternity hospital as this place ranks first in the district in respect of population, besides being a commercial place centrally situated and being also otherwise important.

Second Member of Council.—This question will receive consideration if the local bodies are agreeable to meet their share of the cost.

SUBJECT No. 243.

Transfer of the civil court at Narasimharajapura to Tarikere, or placing Tarikere within the jurisdiction of the Shimoga Munsiff's Court.

Messrs. A. Venkataramiah and Patel Shankarappa, Tarikere Taluk.

Messrs. Venkataramiah and Shankarappa.—Considerable difficulty is being experienced by the people of the Tarikere taluk in having to go to Narasimharajapura for civil suits. It is prayed that either the Munsiff's Court at Narasimharajapura may be transferred to Tarikere or the civil jurisdiction of the Tarikere Taluk may be transferred to the Shimoga Munsiff's Court.

Second Member of Council.—This question has already been settled and orders have issued. Nothing further can be done.

SUBJECT No. 244.

Opening of a Sub-Treasury at Narasimharajapura.

Mr. Danivasa Shankarappa *alias* Gundappa, Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Mr. Shankarappa alias *Gundappa.*—Government were pleased to order the conversion of the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk into a *pucca* taluk from the year 1920-21. As much inconvenience is being felt for the remittance of land, excise and forest revenues and of the collections in the Munsiff's Court, it is prayed that a Sub-Treasury may be opened at Narasimharajapura, for the present.

Dewan.—In 1919, it was ordered that this be converted into a *pucca* taluk. It is not possible to give effect to this as we are effecting retrenchments now. It will be considered after a year or two.

SUBJECT No. 245.

Investing the Munsiff of Narasimharajapura with the powers of a Second Class Magistrate.

Mr. Shankarappa alias *Gundappa.*—The Munsiff of Narasimharajapura may be invested with second class magisterial powers as prayed for by the Purobhivriddhi Sangha.

Dewan.—It cannot be done at present.